Department of Finance

STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS

Fund: 0256
PAGE 1
Renumbered
From:

Legal Title

Sexual Predator Public Information Account

Legal Citation/Authority

Chapter 867, Statutes of 1994

Penal Code section 290.4

Fund Classification

GAAP Basis

Governmental/Special Revenue Funds

Fund Classification

Legal Basis

Governmental/Other Governmental Cost Funds

Purpose

This account will be used to deposit the \$500,000 loan from a special Department of Justice account to start the program and the income from the operation of a "900" telephone number program. The income from the "900" number will be used to operate the program and to repay the loan.

To provide a service through which members of the public may provide a list of at least six persons on a form approved by the Department of Justice and inquire whether any of those persons is required to register as a sex offender and is subject to public notification.

Administering Agency/Organization Code

Department of Justice/Org 0820

Major Revenue Source

Income from the operation of the "900" telephone numbers program.

Fees from the public requesting information on persons required to register as a sex offender and is subject to public notification.

Loan proceeds.

Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)

Pursuant to Government Code section 16346, in the absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment shall be transferred to the General Fund.

Appropriation Authority

Upon appropriation by Legislation.

State Appropriations Limit

Excluded - Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues have a logical, direct relationship with the use or purposes for which they are used.

Comments/Historical Information

This fund number was originally used for the Flood Disaster Account, 1986 Natural Disaster Assistance Fund which was abolished per Chapter 1507, Statutes of 1988. This fund will be repealed January 1, 1999 per Penal Code section 290.4 (j) in which the Sexual Predator Public Information Account was established.

Revised August 2012 FUND 0256

DOF - MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS

Sexual Predator Public Information Account

FUND 0256 PAGE 2

The 900 line was discontinued in October 2005because of declined usage. Implementation of the Megan's Public Internet significantly reduced the need for the 900 line.

Revised August 2012 FUND 0256